

THE GLEICHEN CALL

VOLUME 47 NO. 34

Authorized as second class mail. GLEICHEN, ALBERTA, WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 10, 1954
Post Office Department, Ottawa.

GLEICHEN, ALBERTA, WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 10, 1954

SUBSCRIPTION \$2.00

Regular Meeting Town Council

A meeting of the town council was held one evening last week. Present were Mayor Colpoys and Councillors U. Jones, W. Pettit, R. Hunter, E. Bollinger and Frank Michael.

Louie Chow applied for a license to operate a general store in town.

The council set the price for the use of the backhoe in future at \$6.50 for ratepayers and \$7.50 non-ratepayers per hour.

The council decided that no loan from the government will be applied for in 1955.

An old well located at the site of the old school was recently deepened and cleaned out and it now has an abundance of water. Since it is located on school property the councillors discussed the matter of reaching some kind of an agreement with the school division regarding the future of the well.

The report of the Mounted Police for the month of October was read, accepted and ordered filed.



SEEDTIME and HARVEST
By H. J. Mather, B.Sc., Assistant Director, Line Elevators Farm Service, Winnipeg, Manitoba
Sponsored by the following companies: Federal, Alberta Pacific, Pioneer, Canadian Consolidated, Peterson, McCabe, Parrish & Heimbacher, Inter-Ocean, Ellison Milling and Quaker Oats.

ADVANCES IN WILD OAT CONTROL

Since the advent of 2,4-D and the resulting widespread chemical control of broad leaved weeds, the hunt for a chemical which will control wild oats has been intensified. A great many chemicals have been tested, but most of them have proved ineffective.

Promising Approach. The most recent approach is the application of chemicals in the Fall to wild oat infested land. The chemical which has given the most promise to date is IPC, while TCA has also given some interesting results.

Early Results. An example of the type of research now underway throughout Western Canada is the work done at the University of Manitoba. In the Fall of 1953 a plot of land was seeded to wild oat and, shortly afterwards, treated with IPC. In the spring of 1954, strips of different crops were seeded across the treated area. When seeded on May 18 wheat, oats, barley and broom did not grow because of the chemical, whereas corn, sunflowers, rape, soybeans, sugar beets, peas and alfalfa were unaffected by the chemical, and free of wild oats. A second seeding of wheat, oats, barley and broom was made on June 19, and striking results were obtained. These crops not only grew normally but were also almost completely free of wild oats.

Experiments Enlarged. In order to follow up the encouraging results of 1954, eight large-scale field tests, using a number of chemicals, have been laid down this Fall by the Manitoba Weeds Commission in co-operation with the University of Manitoba, several commercial organizations and interested farmers. It is expected that results of great practical and research value on the control of wild oats by chemicals will be obtained from these tests in 1955. The chemical battle is on. The future of the wild oat is beginning to look as black as its hull!

The present Geneva meeting of GATT, or the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade is not as some suppose, just another international meeting of no particular significance to western Canadians. Indeed, this meeting may well be the turning point in international trade arrangements with important decisions that could affect future exports of Canadian grain and other products. Since GATT was established in 1947, tariffs have been reduced, world trade has been facilitated and governments have been influenced to pursue more liberal trading policies, but it is now evident that the agreement needs to be revised and strengthened if it is to ensure still greater freedom of trade with less



THE PLOUFFE FAMILY

Here they are, those happy-go-lucky French-Canadians who are winning friends wherever there are TV sets in Canada. Based on Roger Lemelin's best seller "Les Plouffe," the family became an institution in Quebec when it was introduced on the CBC French

radio and TV networks. In view of the enthusiastic public response which set new fan-mail records, the humorous and tender stories of the Plouffes are being presented on the CBC-TV network in English using the same cast. The CBC produced "Plouffe Family" may be seen on all TV stations in Canada.

discrimination than at present. Canada has already protested against the U.S. import restrictions placed upon Canadian agricultural products and has been quick to point out that these restrictions are in direct violation of the agreement. Although Congressional approval has never been secured for the agreement, the president is required to keep out agricultural products that might interfere with price supports in spite of any international obligations of the U.S. It is this proposal that the administration may seek to have regularized—a move that will undoubtedly be opposed. There is also the delicate question of the sale of surplus foodstuffs "at competitive prices" and some recognition in GATT that this is a disruptive trading policy would, it is said, be greatly welcomed by Canada and other grain exporting nations.

Legion W.A. Meel

The monthly meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary to the Canadian Legion was held in the Legion Hall last Thursday evening with a good attendance.

The meeting was conducted by the president, Mrs. J. Bell, and routine business was dealt with. A letter was read from Rockyford Ladies Auxiliary branch inviting the local branch to a social evening on November 24th. Some 25 ladies said by the raising of hands they would like to go if nothing interferes with their plans.

A wreath was ordered to be purchased for Remembrance Day, same as other years.

A committee for the turkey dinner was appointed and members are to be charged 50c for their dinner.

Committees for the annual bazaar were appointed. The bazaar will be held on December 4th.

The organization decided to exchange Christmas gifts. After the meeting adjourned a social evening was held.

W. M. Blaney, agent for the Pool elevator at Gleichen, has been in the employ of the Alberta Wheat Pool for over 25 years. Last week at a gathering in Calgary he was presented with a gold watch in appreciation of his quarter century of service to the Wheat Pool.

Plan Jubilee Celebration

Plans for the celebration of Alberta's 50th birthday in 1955 have been announced by the director of the Alberta Golden Jubilee, W. M. Parker, following a meeting of the Jubilee Committee executive.

Mr. Parker said the program of events approved by the executive is designed to include all communities and areas of the province. The program has been

distributed to Canadian and Commonwealth libraries as well as all Alberta school rooms. High Canadian, American, British and European officials will receive special leather-bound editions of the volume.

Dedication of the Drumheller Badlands as a Provincial Park will be carried out during Jubilee year and a committee formed to assess the value of this area as a tourist attraction.

An Alberta music arranger and composer will be commissioned to assemble a collection of Alberta songs which will be made available for use in community jubilee programs, while the University of Alberta Mixed Chorus will be invited to present a special program of jubilee songs throughout the Peace River District, as well as at other Alberta towns and villages.

June 5th will mark the start of jubilee celebration activities with the program ending with Jubilee Week, Sept. 5-10. All dedication ceremonies and other official acts will take place during this week. Sept. 4th has been declared a Provincial Day of Prayer and it is hoped that a special Jubilee program, together with a message from Premier E. C. Manning, will be carried over a provincial radio network on the Day of Prayer.

The committee and the Jubilee Director are touring Alberta meeting with interested groups who are planning Jubilee celebrations in their own communities.

In case you have forgotten or didn't know it the population of Gleichen in 1901 was 101; 1911, 583; 1921, 608; 1931, 514; 1941, 435; 1951, 430.

BARGAIN DAYS on the Canadian Pacific BETWEEN GLEICHEN and

REGINA \$16.35
You Save \$10.40
CALGARY 2.00
You Save \$1.25

Good going NOVEMBER 16 and 17 and Dec. 7 and 8. You must commence your return journey within 10 days of the purchase date of your ticket. Similar bargain fares will also apply on above lines between cities named and intermediate stations.

Train travel is Low-cost Travel. Full information from your agent.

TELEVISION ANTENNAS

The installation of television antenna supporting structures adjacent to overhead power lines constitutes a serious accident and fire hazard. If the structure contacts the power line either when it is being erected or later under storm conditions, the full voltage of the power line will be impressed on the structure and antenna. Fatal accidents and fires have been caused by such contacts.

Persons erecting television antennas should where ever possible maintain sufficient clearances from the power lines to ensure that no contact will be made if the antenna structure falls. It is recommended that the distance from the power line be six feet greater than the total height of the structure. Where such clearances cannot be obtained the structure must be securely guyed away from the power line. The company owning the power line should be notified when the installation is being made so that they may have a representative present to temporarily disconnect the line, if necessary.

Details of safe construction standards for domestic antennas exceeding fifteen feet in height have been compiled by the Canadian Standards Association under Specification C22.4 No. 112. These specifications are available from the Canadian Standards Association, National Research Building, Ottawa, at a cost of 75c per copy.

The minimum requirements for the installation of television antennas and lead in cables, to gether with the protective grounding required are contained in Section 54 of the Canadian Electrical Code, Part 1, Sixth Edition, which has been adopted under the Electrical Protection Act of Alberta.

DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIES AND
LABOR
ELECTRICAL BRANCH
ADMINISTRATION BUILDING
EDMONTON

S. A. B. Kembry,
Chief Electrical Inspector.

J. E. Oberholtzer,
Deputy Minister.

**Better weed control
WITH 2,4-D!**

Stop growing weeds! Use a proven brand of weed-killing 2,4-D supplied by Alberta Pacific Grain Co. Ltd.

See your ALBERTA PACIFIC AGENT for full particulars.

ALBERTA PACIFIC
GRAIN COMPANY (1941) LTD.
SERVING ALBERTA PRODUCERS WITH OVER 100 COUNTRY ELEVATORS

**Write
Your Life Story
in this book**

Buying your own home, financing your children's education—your success in reaching many goals—will all be "chapters" in your savings pass-book. Start your savings account today at our nearest branch—there are more than 650 to serve you.

THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE

GLEICHEN BRANCH. D. E. NASH, MANAGER

Saskatchewan to experiment in classroom TV programs

REGINA.—Saskatchewan will participate in the most extensive experiment in classroom television programs yet attempted anywhere in the world to be undertaken this month by the CBC and the National Advisory Council on school broadcasting.

This was announced by Miss Gertrude Murray, a member of the advisory council and supervisor of school broadcasts, Saskatchewan department of education.

The experiment, consisting of eight telecasts of 15 or 20 minutes in length, is to ascertain the possible usefulness of television as a teaching aid in our schools, Miss Murray said. Schools in all television areas in Canada will be able to take part, through the loan of suitable receivers by the Canadian Radio and Television Manufacturers' Association.

There are four Saskatchewan schools officially taking part in the experiment. These are: Herchmer School, Regina; Grand Coulee Village School; Pleasant Hill School, Saskatoon, and Bainsville School, 14 miles from Saskatoon. There is a good possibility that other schools in the province within radius of television will be able to view the programs through the courtesy of numerous television distributors.

TV stations co-operate Through the co-operation of CKCK-TV, Regina, and CFQC-TV, Saskatoon, the programs will be presented at 3:00 p.m. MST, in Saskatchewan, beginning Tuesday, November 9. Four telecasts, aimed at the level of Grades V to VI will be presented the last four Tuesdays in November, while the other four programs, aimed at Grades VII and VIII, will be presented for four successive Wednesdays, beginning November 10.

CLASSIFIED

ALASKA SALVE WAS FOUNDED and used by the missionaries in Alaska. With this product they relieved thousands that suffered from rheumatic, arthritic, neuritic pains and lumbago. Get now Alaska Salve, Price, \$1.50. Box 130, Beverly, Alta.

ITCH

STOPPED IN A JIFFY or money back Very first use of soothing, cooling liquid D.D.D. Prescription positively relieves raw red itch—caused by eczema, rashes, scalp irritation, chafing—other itchy troubles. Greaseless, stainless, 3¢ trial bottle must satisfy or money back. Don't suffer. Ask your druggist for D.D.D. PRESCRIPTION.

Patterns

Jiffy to make!



by Alice Brooks

Bewitchin' in the kitchen! Cherries—easy embroidery—add charm to this cobbler apron. Look at the neckline—for now, wear it without a blouse. Cool cooking!

Be thrifty—use remnants! Pattern 7240; Medium size only. Tissue pattern; embroidery transfer. Brimful of thrifty gift ideas... our Alice Brooks Needlecraft Catalog... 82 of the most popular embroidery, crochet, sewing, color-transfer designs to send for. Plus 4 patterns printed in book. Send 25 cents for your copy. Ideas for gifts, bazaars, fashions.

To obtain this pattern send twenty-five cents in coins (stamps cannot be accepted) to: Department P.P.L., Household Arts Department, 63 Front Street W., Toronto. Be sure to write plainly your Name, Address and Pattern Number.

Brimful of thrifty gift ideas... our Alice Brooks Needlecraft Catalog... 82 of the most popular embroidery, crochet, sewing, color-transfer designs to send for. Plus 4 patterns printed in book. Send 25 cents for your copy. Ideas for gifts, bazaars, fashions.

The experimental programs and dates are as follows:

How Columbus Navigated—November 9; Look Alert—Stay Unhurt—November 16; Surface Patterns—November 23; Starbuck Valley Winter—November 30; House of History—November 10; Iron From The North—November 17; Save Our Soil—November 24; and Current Events—December 1.

Five of the above programs were produced in the Toronto television studios of the CBC and three by the National Film Board. "It is sincerely hoped," Miss Murray added, "that parents who own TV sets, will view the programs at home. They will find them both interesting and educational."

4-H membership reaches new high

Membership in Canada's 4-H Clubs has doubled in the past 10 years and reached a new high in 1954 with 68,713 members enrolled in 4,788 clubs. Compared to 1953 this represents an increase of 3,498.

From the standpoint of membership, clothing clubs, with 13,811 members, were the most popular. Dairy calf clubs were second with 11,549 followed by garden clubs with 10,679. As in former years, this year's national total includes the membership of the Jeunesse Agricole Clubs (Junior Agricultural) in Quebec of 4,003. Since 1931, the year in which the Canadian Council on 4-H Clubs was organized, enrolment has increased from 19,508.

In contrast to earlier years, the number of girls taking part is increasing. Of this year's total, for example, 33,459 are girls and 35,354 boys. Also of interest is the average club membership of 14.4 and the average age (approximate) of 13.5.

Ontario farmer wins plowing

An Ontario dairy farmer, Joseph Tran, 38, of Claremont, last week won the Canadian plowing match at Ballantrae, Ont., to become Canadian champion.

With 83 out of a possible 100 points, he was just two in front of Ivan McLaughlin, of Stouffville, Ont., and 4½ ahead of 14-year-old Gerald Lyttle, of Portage la Prairie, Man.

Victory in the match gives Mr. Tran the right to represent Canada at the international match next year in Sweden.

2,000 ROOMS

The largest house in England, Buckingham Palace, contains more than 2,000 principal rooms. It is estimated that the corridors of the palace require 12 miles of carpet.

INSTANT RELIEF!

Prepared
PINEX
cough syrup

At the first sign of a cough due to a cold... take Pinex Prepared. Enjoy the instant, soothing relief it brings. Ease the soreness and irritation fast. Pinex tastes so good that children love it. Keep a bottle always in readiness for sudden winter coughs.



At all druggists

Photographs early Indian school are on display

REGINA.—Photographs of the Regina Indian Industrial School, which operated from 1891 to 1910, are currently displayed in the reading room of the Saskatchewan legislative library. They have been donated to the archives division by Mr. and Mrs. James Quigley, of Belleville, Ont., who were staff members of the school in 1904-05.

The school, not on a reserve, was situated on a half section of land at White Farm, on the banks of the Wascana Creek, about four miles northwest of Regina. The two-story brick construction contained classrooms, offices, a general assembly room, boys' and girls' dormitories, and staff quarters. Farm buildings included a barn and horse stable, cow stable, hog pens, and implement and poultry house. The school could accommodate 150 pupils and a staff of 12. During its last year of operation attendance was about 65. The building was later used as an industrial school for boys and was destroyed by fire in 1948.

An extract from the principal's report found in Canadian sessional papers of 1911, is also a part of the exhibit. In it he writes "The soil is a heavy clay, notorious for its paint-like adhesiveness when wet, but exceedingly fertile."

The present display is one of a series arranged by the archives division from its collection of over 5,000 historic photographs. The reading room of the library is located on the second floor, east wing, of the legislative building.

Begin issuing final payment oats Nov. 9th

OTTAWA.—The Right Hon. C. D. Howe, minister of Trade and Commerce, has announced that the 1953-54 oats pool, operated by the Canadian Wheat Board, has been closed, as at October 15, 1954.

The final payment available for distribution to producers is \$5,631,130.40. During the 1953-54 crop year, producers delivered 99,725,291 bushels of oats to the Board. This compares with 118,967,962 bushels during the 1952-53 crop year.

The average net final payment to producers is 6.2759 cents per bushel after deduction of payment expenses and the Prairie Farm Assistance Act levy.

Mr. Howe stated that the Canadian Wheat Board would commence issuing final payment oats cheques on November 9, 1954.

Beaver population is at high level province Manitoba

Beaver population in Manitoba south of 53 is at a high level and the busy beavers are damming creeks causing flood damage to crops and roads in many localities.

An open season from November 15 to April 23 next year has been announced by the Hon. C. E. Greenlay, Minister of Mines and Natural Resources. The department hopes that farmers and others will trap enough beavers during the open season to eliminate possible damage next year.

Beaver trappers are reminded that they must obtain the consent of the owner or occupant of private property on which they wish to trap.

Unbeaten in openers

When Detroit Red Wings defeated Toronto Maple Leafs, 2-1, in the opening game of the 1954-55 season at the Detroit Olympia, it marked the 15th year in a row that the Wings have not lost an opener. During that 15-year unbeaten skid the Red Wings have won 14 games and tied one.

MORE BREAD

Bakeries in Canada had an output of \$138,450,000 in the first half of 1954, or seven percent higher than the same period last year.

PEGGY

BOY DO I HATE THIS JOB! TAKING MY BROTHER AND THESE LITTLE PUNKS TRICK-OR-TREATING—KID STUFF!

LOOK, SANDY, WE'VE MADE TWO BUCKS ALREADY AND WE'VE ONLY STARTED!

HUH?

LATER TRICK OR TREAT (JUST A MINUTE, KIDS!)

DOOR

—By Chuck Thurston

At all druggists

At all druggists

At all druggists

At all druggists

At all druggists

At all druggists

At all druggists

At all druggists

At all druggists

At all druggists

Home Workshop



This striking holiday decoration may be used in various ways. If the figures are traced directly from the pattern to thin plywood or any composition Santa and sleigh will be 10½ inches high, and the reindeer nine inches. Just the right size for the centre of the Yuletide table, or as a background for the Christmas tree. As a lawn decoration tempered hardboard would be a more suitable material to use. The best size for the lawn would be the full 42-inch height. The pattern gives detailed directions for scaling the miniature model to the outdoor size. The pieces are finished in vivid colors for which tracing directions will be found on the pattern, price 35c. Add 2c for first class mail or 5c for air mail. Be sure to ask for pattern number 360.



Pop goes a button but this tiny donkey stands ready for the emergency. His pack saddle carries everything for rips and tears too; thread, thimble, scissors and tape. The folding stand with the fancy decoration on the front holds lots of things for a bigger job of sewing and mending. The lady who does these jobs in your house will be delighted with these attractive novelties when they are made with the actual-size cutting and painting guides available on pattern 233 which is only 25c. It is included in the Sewing Corner Packet of patterns for cutting table, ironing board, sleeve pressing forms, sewing machine cabinet and stand. Price of packet is \$1.50.

Address order to: Department P.P.L., Home Workshop Pattern Service, 4433 West Fifth Avenue, Vancouver, B.C.

Canada accepts Fair invitation from Belgium

OTTAWA.—The Right Hon. C. D. Howe, minister of Trade and Commerce, has announced that Canada has accepted the invitation of the government of Belgium to participate in the Universal and International Exhibition, to be held in Brussels in 1958.

In making this announcement, Mr. Howe stated that the Government of Canada was pleased to note that the first World's Fair to be held since the war will be held in the historic city of Brussels. Canada, he said, was especially pleased to accept this invitation, because of the excellent relations and growing trade between Belgium and Canada.

Following a meeting with Baron Moens de Fernig, the commissioner general appointed by the government of Belgium in charge of the operation of the 1958 Brussels Universal and International Exhibition, Mr. Howe stated that the government of Canada was fully in accord with the objective of the government of Belgium to use this World's Fair to promote greater understanding and harmony among nations of the world. He added that Canada's participation will be designed to meet this objective.

Through Baron Moens de Fernig, Mr. Howe conveyed to the government of Belgium Canada's best wishes for the success of this exhibition, and the hope that it will fully achieve the purpose for which it is being organized.

Manitoba to investigate whole field crop insurance

A three-man fact-finding commission for investigating the whole field of crop insurance in Manitoba has been named by Hon. R. D. Robertson, minister of Agriculture and Immigration.

Chairman of the commission will be G. W. Malaher, director of the Searle Grain Company's research department. Other members are Ralph Hedlin, associate editor of the Country Guide and F. W. Crawford, retired comptroller of the University of Manitoba.

The commission was set up as a result of debate on crop insurance at the last session of the Manitoba Legislature. Its job is to report back to the legislature on the feasibility of a crop insurance plan for Manitoba.

Mr. Malaher received his early

education in England and in 1925 received his B.S.A. degree from the University of Alberta. Except for one year when he supervised a C.N.R. farming course in farming in London, England, he spent 16 years following graduation as instructor at the School of Agriculture in Vermilion, Alberta. In 1941 he entered the acreage department of the Canadian Wheat Board in Winnipeg and by 1951 had become supervisor of delivery permits and quotas. He left the Canadian Wheat Board in 1954 to enter the research department of Searle Grain Company.

Mr. Hedlin received his schooling and university education in Saskatchewan. He specialized in agricultural economics at the University of Saskatchewan and got his master's degree in science. He spent 10 months on agricultural economics investigation with the federal department of Agriculture and served four years in the RCAF overseas. Since joining the Country Guide in Winnipeg in 1948, he has travelled extensively throughout the western provinces.

Mr. Crawford was one of the first persons to graduate in agriculture from a western Canada university. He received his degree from the Manitoba Agricultural College in 1911. He was a member of the University of Manitoba board of governors and manager of the Manitoba Livestock Credit Company before being named bursar of the university in 1933. He was comptroller for the university when he retired earlier this year.

Niblick nimrod

BUFFALO, N.Y. — Art Pasnick had better luck with a golf club recently than some hunters with shotguns on the opening day of the pheasant season.

Pasnick's drive on the 160-yard, 13th hole of the Lancaster Country club golf course struck and killed a pheasant, giving him a double birdie as he putted out in two on the par-three hole.

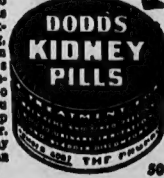
Asks Scout groups help

Currency restrictions make it practically impossible for Scouts from several overseas countries to bring dollars with them when they come to the Eighth World Jamboree at Niagara-on-the-Lake next August.

For this reason Canadian Scout groups are being asked by F. J. Finlay, chief executive commissioner of Canada's Boy Scouts, to raise \$50 each, to provide the \$30 Jamboree fee and \$20 spending money for at least 1,000 Scouts from overseas countries anxious to come to the big Jamboree, the first of its kind ever held in North America.

YOU CAN DEPEND ON

When kidneys fail to remove excess acids and wastes, backache, tired feeling, disturbed rest often follow. DODD'S Kidney Pills stimulate kidneys to normal duty. You feel better—sleep better, work better. Get Dodd's at any drug store. You can depend on Dodd's.



MACDONALD'S BRIER

Canada's Standard Smoke

CELEBRATE Christmas OVERSEAS!



Travel Cunard to BRITAIN or EUROPE at Thrift-Season Rates!

3 CHRISTMAS SAILINGS PERSONALLY CONDUCTED BY EXPERIENCED CUNARD PASSENGER REPRESENTATIVES
R.M.S. "FRANCONIA" Nov. 27—From Quebec to Greenock and Liverpool. Conductor: Harry C. Glenney of Toronto office.
R.M.S. "SAMARIA" Nov. 30—From Quebec to Havre and Southampton. Conductor: Douglas L. Gordon of Montreal office.
R.M.S. "SAXONIA" Dec. 11—From Halifax to Cork and Liverpool. Conductor: Joseph White of New York office.

This year, say "Merry Christmas" to your loved ones back home—in person! Imagine how thrilled they'll be! Think what fun it will be for you! Seeing familiar faces again. Visiting well-remembered scenes in the Old Country.

Gala Christmas festivities await you on board Cunard's famous ships—parties, dances, movies, sports, or just relax! Come join the fun!

Cunard's low, thrift-season rates are now in effect—so book your passage right away... for the happiest Christmas of your life... and remember, getting there is half the fun!

See Your Local Agent—No One Can Serve You Better

Cunard Line

201 Bank of Toronto Bldg., 215 Portage Avenue, Winnipeg, Man.

OUR COMPLETE SHORT STORY—

EVE'S DAUGHTER

—By LILLIAN M. MITCHELL

EVE CLARK was making an apple pie for dinner. Joe liked hot apple pie with plenty of butter and sugar and cinnamon oozing through the crust. Nine-year-old Lolly watched progress with shining eyes. "It's the best pie you ever made Mommy. It really is!"

"That's what you and Daddy always say," Eve murmured contentedly. "Now if this pie is the best and the next pie is better—why, Joe? You're early tonight, darling!" she said happily.

Joe only nodded. He did not meet her eyes nor sniff at that apple pie as he usually did the instant he hit the doorway. Instead he hung up his coat, said "Hi" to his daughter and went down stairs to his basement hobby shop where presently small, shabby taps of the hammer announced that he was working on Lolly's playhouse.

"Something," Lolly said wisely, "is up."

It wasn't until Lolly had been put to bed that Joe said it. "We've always promised to be entirely honest with each other, Eve. Well, I'm sick of marriage. Thoroughly and completely sick of it."

"Someone else, Joe?"

"Heavens, no! I never want to hear the word marriage again. It turns a man into a goat on a

treadmill. Run for the 9:06 in the morning, spring onto the 5:10 at night. Monday dinners out of Sunday's left-overs, movies on Tuesdays and bridge clubbies on Wednesdays—bah! I'm bored to death."

"And—?" "I'm moving back to the University Club. I'll send you half the pay-check each fortnight plus forty for Lolly. I'm going—now. Tonight."

"And a divorce, Joe?" "I don't believe in divorce any more than I do in—in well, in children in the movies. And you know it! If one marriage doesn't satisfy, another won't. It — it isn't you, Eve. I—I think as much of you as—as I could of anyone. But marriage—it—it just isn't what the fiction yarns crack it up to be, is it?"

Eve smiled brightly. "I guess you're right, Joe."

He was upstairs a long time before he appeared with his pigskin bag. Plainly he was pondering whether or not a goodbye kiss was in order. Eve was of no help. "Oh, Well, 'bye, Joe," she murmured when she glanced up from her mending.

"I hate to leave you so broken-hearted."

Eve shrugged. "Trunk packed?"

"I don't want anything. Possessions hog-tied and strangled."

Eve nodded casually.

Eve was startled, long after the front door had closed and she had watched Joe turn the corner under the street light, to find Lolly peering around a curtain. "You could have made him stay, Mommy. You didn't say a word."

Eve studied the thought. "A wife shouldn't have to beg a man to stay, Lolly. I simply won't."

"Men," Lolly said wisely, "don't know what they want. They always want what they haven't got. I hear things at school, Mommy. Once in a while the mother runs out first and the man has to coax her to stay. For the sake of the children," she grinned impishly.

"But Dad beat you to the draw, Mommy. So now—well, we gotta get him back. We gotta think of something!" she said urgently, tapping her forehead suggestively.

But Eve felt numb. She stuck her fingernail into her palm. She had hoped that maybe this was just a bad dream. It was no dream. Her palm smarted. She telephoned to his office once and let an affected lilt into her voice when she asked for Joe.

"Clark?" his voice came to her curtly. "Who is calling? Clark speaking—Josephine! You called my wire?"

Lolly came home from school just as the postman delivered. "It's the cheque—from Daddy," Lolly said. "He really kinda—means it, doesn't he, Mommy?"

Now Eve felt a rage against Joe: to unload adult woes on a child like this! But stubbornly Eve would not make the first gesture. Joe was nervous. His voice said so. Eve could always soothe that fit of nerves that came on him once in a while. Her mind ran round in worry-tracks. It seemed incredible that Lolly could have gone back to afternoon school and was home again. Yet, here she was, marching up the walk.

"I got an idea, Mommy," Lolly began breathlessly. "You go out and start the pie. Daddy's coming tonight to talk it over and he said he'd be out on the 5:10."

"Talk what over?"

"Why, me. Going into the movies, Mommy. I was sitting in the drawing class thinking and they were drawing a plate of apples and I remembered what Daddy said about children in the movies. They are brats, Mommy. Movie brats. So I spent my nickel and called Daddy on the phone and I says I called to tell you goodbye, Daddy. And he says, where are you going, darling? And I says, well, Mommy is putting me into the movies and so we're going to Hollywood. And he bawls me out something fierce, Mommy. He yelled so loud I couldn't hear it all but I says, you know, Daddy, how pig-headed and stubborn Mommy is — why, look! When she got ready to boost you outa th' house, she didn't even give you time to get your golf bag or anything."

"And—?" Eve prodded.

"Oh, he was just aching to get a reason to come home, Mommy. So he says, you tell your mother I'll be out on the 5:10 and you're not to dare to go into the pictures. So I got the apples for the pie and won't be tickled to get back home! I betcha!"

"But, Lolly!"

The pie was scarcely turning brown when Joe slammed the door. "What's this crazy nonsense about Lolly going into the movies! I won't have it, Eve. I tell you, I won't have it!" He did not notice that no packing had been done. Eve shrugged and turned to look into the oven. "Oh? So you won't

She's a girl in a thousand

MOOSE JAW, Sask.—Cpl. Pat Moffat is a girl in a thousand at the RCAF station Moose Jaw. But the other 999 are all men.

"It's lonesome," says Pat. "I feel as if I need support from a few other girls."

Pat, whose home is in Moose Jaw, joined the RCAF in July, 1951. She has been stationed in Regina, St. John's, Que., the School of Flying Control at Grand Bend, Ont., and at Canada's only tri-service station, the Canadian Joint Air Training Command at Rivers, Man.

Cpl. Moffat says being the only woman at the Moose Jaw base, which she joined in April this year, can be interesting and unique. But it has its disadvantages. She has to commute to work from her home because there are no women's quarters at the station.

She likes the service life but misses the other girls.

"Most of the fun of being in the service is mixing with other girls in barrack life and I miss the comradeship," she says. "I don't know if there will be other girls posted to this station or not but I could use some support."

Pat likes to travel and meet new people. She thinks service training is of a type she would not get elsewhere.

Her hobbies are reading and knitting. If she ever runs out of knitting ideas she can always start knitting socks for her 999 colleagues.

Funny and Otherwise

"I want some arsenic for my mother-in-law."

"Have you a doctor's prescription?"

"No—but here's a photograph of her."

"Dad, what is a diplomat?"

"A diplomat, my boy, is a person who is appointed to avert situations that would never occur if there were no diplomats."

"Darling, you've made me the happiest man on earth!"

"Only on earth? The last man I was engaged to said he was in his seventh heaven."

High words were flying between husband and wife.

At last the man snapped,

"You've never done anything without boasting about it."

"Oh, yes I have," replied the wife.

"And what?" sneered the husband.

"I married you."

The hungry out-of-work actor raced into the pawnbroker's office. He slipped a watch on the counter, while visions of a good meal floated before his eyes.

"What can I get on this watch?" he asked.

The pawnbroker examined it and noticed that one hand was missing. "I can't take a chance on this," he said. "The minute hand is missing."

The actor caught the pawnbroker by the sleeve. "You can always sell it to a fellow who isn't in a hurry!"

have it, Joe? We'll—see."

"But, Lolly—you don't want to go into pictures, do you?"

Lolly smiled carelessly. "I don't care, Dad."

"Damn everything!" he yelled. "Lolly, you go call Todkins' express and tell them to pick up my bag at the University Club. I'll just have to stay right smack here at home to look after you two crazy nitwits. I can see that plainly. How long before dinner's ready, Eve?"

Five minutes later he was down in the shop and his hammer was tapping on Lolly's almost-completed playhouse. Lolly and Eve exchanged glances. No longer were they mother-and-daughter. They were two women who had learned one of the interesting facts of life; men wanted to be hog-tied and strangled. Joe's hammer was singing a song with its rat-a-tat-tat. (Copyright Wheeler Newspaper Syndicate)

THE TILLERS

The TILLERS



Factories busy with Alberta sugar beet crop

Alberta's largest sugar beet crop, 479,849 tons harvested from 36,741 acres in 1952, yielded 142,174,220 pounds of sugar. This year the crop is being grown on 36,988 acres of irrigated land, and the total sugar yield is estimated at roughly 112,000,000 pounds.

So far, factories at Picture Butte, Raymond and Taber have been handling an average of 5,500 tons of beets daily. The entire processing campaign is expected to last until the middle of December.

Education denied thirteen puppies

REGINA. — School principal Harry Walker figures he did the right thing in handing over to the dog pound 13 tiny pups he found in the school basement.

Mr. Walker knew that most of the 200 pupils in the school wanted one of the pups.

"I wasn't very popular," he said.

"But I could visualize the youngsters taking the puppies home to their parents and then coming back with them in the afternoon."

Saskatchewan hog breeders import P.E.I. breeding stock

REGINA.—Thirty-nine Saskatchewan hog breeders have just imported from Prince Edward Island, a consignment of 65 purebred Yorkshire boars and gilts of advance registry breeding, as a result of a demand by swine breeders in the province. E. E. Bocklebank, director of the Animal Industry branch, Saskatchewan department of agriculture, said.

The selection of the breeding stock was assisted by the Animal Industry Branch to the extent of providing the services of their fieldman, Dr. S. L. Curtis who co-operated with H. W. Clay, production service, Canada department of agriculture, Charlottetown, P.E.I.

An indication of the high quality of the hogs coming to Saskatchewan, is contained in the advance registry rating of the shipment. Eight breeding boars are from dams with an average score of 90.5; five of the breeding gilts are from dams with an average score of 90.4, while 50 weanlings, consisting of both males and females, are from dams with an average score of 87.7.

Advances, registry indicates the producing ability of breeding stock from the standpoint of the number of pigs born and weaned, the growth rate and the ability of the breeding stock to produce high quality meat products for the consuming public.

An indication of the high quality of bacon hogs being produced in Prince Edward Island is the fact that at the present time they are producing 53 percent grade A market stock. This is compared to Saskatchewan's 23 to 25 percent. It is expected that this recent importation of high grade pure bred breeding stock will assist in advancing the quality of Saskatchewan bacon hogs.

The carload of Prince Edward Island hogs went to many areas of the province, including: Meadow Lake, Prince Albert, Nipawin, Melfort, Indian Head, Assiniboia, Weyburn and Regina.

You can't get it
in any other brand
...THE GUARANTEED
EXTRA PERFORMANCE OF
PRESTONE. BRAND
ANTI-FREEZE

PREVENTS FREEZE-UP

The famous "Prestone" Brand Anti-Freeze Guarantee includes full protection against freeze-up. Mild spell today, cold snap tomorrow—from hot to cold and back again, you won't be bothered with freeze-up or boilaway. Over millions of miles, under the most severe winter driving temperatures, "Prestone" Anti-Freeze has been proven time and again the finest anti-freeze you can buy.

REDUCES ENGINE WEAR

"Prestone" Brand Anti-Freeze permits the use of high opening thermostats to give peak engine performance. That means reduced cold weather oil sludge, fewer harmful engine deposits—reduced engine wear. "Prestone" Anti-Freeze adds miles of extra life to your engine... extra performance under severe winter driving conditions.

IMPROVES GAS MILEAGE

Use "Prestone" Brand Anti-Freeze with a high temperature thermostat and improve your winter-time gas mileage! Let your engine run at higher temperatures with "Prestone" Anti-Freeze and it will run more efficiently—give you more miles to the gallon. You get more miles to the gallon, more power from your car's engine when you ask for—insist on—"Prestone" Brand Anti-Freeze.

NO RUST, CORROSION OR FOAMING LOSS

Among the special ingredients that make up "Prestone" Anti-Freeze are rust and corrosion inhibitors that fully protect the cooling system—yes, no matter how rough the winter or how tough the going!

It's all part of the extra protection you get when you ask for—and get—"Prestone" Brand Anti-Freeze.

You can't buy it
under any other
brand name ...



WARNING!

You may be told that other brands are 'just the same as' "Prestone" Anti-Freeze. It isn't so! Insist on "Prestone" Brand and you can get it—anywhere!

"Prestone", "Eveready" and "Prime" are trade-marks of Union Carbide Canada Limited

NATIONAL CARBON COMPANY



Fashions

Smart separates



4814

SIZES 9-17

by Anne Adams

Send your Junior Miss to school with a mix 'n' match wardrobe! She'll love these separates! Make the "boy"-collared blouse in cotton—the 4-button weskit, 8-gore, easy-sew skirt in a bevy of colors and fabrics! It's so thrifty!

Pattern 4814: Jr. Miss Sizes 9, 11, 13, 15, 17. Size 13 blouse, 1 1/2 yards 35-inch; weskit and skirt, 3 3/4 yards 39-inch fabric.

This pattern easy to use, simple to sew, is tested for fit. Has complete illustrated instructions.

Send thirty-five cents (35c) in coins (stamps cannot be accepted) for this pattern. Write plainly Size, Name, Address and Style Number and send orders to:

Department P.P.L.,

Anne Adams Pattern Dept.,

60 Front Street W., Toronto.

The Red sea owes its name to

marine organisms of a reddish

color, which tint its surface

waters.

—By Les Carroll

United Church W.A.

Mrs. M. Bolinger was hostess to the United Church W. A. last Wednesday afternoon in her

home. President Mrs. Pugh presided over the meeting which was opened in the usual manner. The devotional period was in charge of Mrs. Morrison and her topic was "The Risen Christ". Routine business was dealt with

and final arrangements were made for the annual bazaar which will be held on December 27th. A donation was voted to the Christian Education and Youth Work of the church. A social hour followed after the meeting adjourned.

several hours. At the time all elevators were very busy receiving wheat. At noon hour some 35 trucks loaded with wheat lined the streets waiting to unload.

One evening last week members of the curling club got busy and cleaned up the rink and it is now ready for making ice as soon as the weather gets cold.

There was a good turnout at the turkey and trophy shoot held Sunday afternoon. There were quite a few sportsmen down from

Calgary. Others came from as far away as British Columbia.

Glen House of Okotoks and his friend Mr. Messenger of Arrowwood spent several hours in town Monday visiting friends.

Jack Moss, a former Gleichen resident but now living in Nanton was in town two weeks ago Monday. That night while returning home to Nanton and west of Arrowwood fainted and turned his car over. A knob which is used to raise a car window was driven into his ear. Since the accident he has been confined to hospital in High River.

Miss J. Eberly of Duchess sent the week end in town visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Switzer and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bigram of Calgary were guests at the home of Mrs. Erford over the weekend. Sunday Mrs. Gillespie, Mrs. Canfield, Mrs. Pitts and Mrs. Cunningham of Calgary visited Mrs. Erford.

Walter Bogstie and V. Die of Marysville, B. C.; Bill McDnald of Cranbrook and Mr. Beskner of Sandpoint, Idaho arrived in town last week to spend a few days hunting. While here they are the guests of Allen Quennell.

Major L. Hanson who was for several years connected with Eventide Home here before being transferred to Camrose. The War Dry speaking of Major Hanson says: "Although crippled with arthritis, Major L. Hanson does a lion's share of work. In connection with his annual drive collecting, has covered a large area of Alberta, the farthest of which is 140 miles from Camrose. The divisional commander revealed that the Major actually visited and prayed in no fewer than 1,270 homes or farm houses during his tour this year."

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND CLAIMANTS

In the Estate of CHARLES EDOUARD GREENIE, late of Calgary, Alberta, Farmer, Deceased. NOTICE is hereby given that persons having claims upon the estate of the above named CHARLES EDOUARD GREENIE who died on 10th September 1954 are required to file with the undersigned by 11th December 1954 a full statement duly verified of their claims and of any security held by them, and after that date the Administrator will distribute the assets of the Deceased among the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims so filed which have been brought to his knowledge. Dated at Land Titles Bldg., Calgary, Alberta, 28th October, 1954. D. L. SLOAN, Deputy Public Trustee.

Opportunity FOR A CAREER IN "FREEDOM" INSURANCE

In the trained skill and courage of Canada's soldiers lies a wealth of insurance... "Freedom" Insurance... for peace... against aggression.

The opportunities for young men with the right temperament and intelligence to make a career in the Army are excellent. As a modern, progressive organization, the Army is equipped to offer top rate schooling and training to career soldiers. There is a place in the Canadian Army for young men who can meet the challenge.

The Army has a continuing need for good men... men like you, who want to make a career of protecting Canada's freedom, and your own, in the Army.

Serve Canada and Yourself in the Army

To be eligible you must be 17 to 40 years of age, skilled tradesmen to 45. When applying bring birth certificate or other proof of age. Apply right away - For full information write or visit the Army Recruiting Centre nearest your home.

No. 10 Personnel Depot, Currie Barracks, Calgary, Alta. - Telephone 42171 - Local 71 The Army Information Centre, 10043 - 101st Street, Edmonton, Alta. - Telephone 43286 The Army Information Centre in your home town.

WHAT DOES PUBLIC WELFARE DO IN ALBERTA.

The following is a summary of what may be regarded as pension plans for certain categories of Alberta citizens.

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE Under an agreement with the Government of Canada the Province has, since 1st January 1953 been paying assistance up to \$40.00 a month under a means test to persons 65-69 age group who have resided in Canada for 20 years or its equivalent.

Fifty per cent of the assistance paid may be recovered from the Federal Government.

BLIND PERSONS' ALLOWANCES

Pensions to the blind had for several years been paid under the former Old Age Pension Act. On 1st January 1952 a special Blind

Persons' Allowance Act came into effect and, under an agreement with the Government of Canada, the Province continued to pay an allowance up to \$40 a month under the means test to blind persons who had attained the age of twenty-one years and had resided in Canada for ten years or its equivalent.

Seventy-five per cent of the allowance may be recovered from the Federal Government.

WIDOWS' PENSIONS

Since 1st April 1932 the province, at its entire expense, has been paying a pension up to \$40 a month under a means test to widows of the 60-64 age group who had resided in the Province for the greater portion of the three years prior to the date of application and had resided in Canada for a period of fifteen years or its equivalent prior to the date the age of sixty years was attained.

DISABLED PERSONS' PENSIONS

Since 1st June, 1953 the province, at its entire expense, has been paying a pension up to \$40 a month under a means test to disabled persons who have attained the age of twenty-one years and who have resided in Alberta for the ten years immediately preceding the date of application.

SUPPLEMENTARY ALLOWANCES

An allowance up to \$15 a month is payable under the means test to Alberta residents in receipt of Old Age Security, Old Age Assistance and Blind Persons' Allowances.

MOTHERS' ALLOWANCES

These allowances have been paid in Alberta since 1919 to needy widows with dependent children according to the scale in effect which vary from \$10 a month to \$145.00 a month. A special allowance up to \$10 a month may, in addition, be paid in cases where the need is apparent.

The municipality in which the widow has acquired residence assumes twenty per cent of the cost of the regular allowance, the province paying the balance in addition to the special allowance. This allowance is payable until the child reaches the age of sixteen years or eighteen years if attending school and making satisfactory progress.

HOSPITALIZATION AND TREATMENT SERVICES

The province at its own expense, provides certain hospitalization and treatment services to Alberta residents who are in receipt of Old Age Assistance, Mothers' Allowance, Widow's Pension or Supplementary Allowance. This is also available to recipients of Old Age Security under a means test.

The province pays the entire cost of the administration of the foregoing services.

OLD AGE SECURITY

To persons who have attained the age of seventy years and have resided in Canada for a period of twenty years or its equivalent the Federal Government pays a pension of \$40.00 a month without a means test.

GOVERNMENT BUSINESS IS YOUR BUSINESS

GOVERNMENT OF THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA



Government of The Province of Alberta

Announces the Sixth Annual MASTER FARM FAMILY AWARD for 1954 to the following

H. H. Conrad Clairmont W. R. Storch Hanna Adam Buyer Carbon Martin Arndt Barthead A. W. King High River

The Master Farm Family Award is recognized by an award of \$1,000.00, an engraved plaque and a name plate for the farm entrance. The purpose of the Master Farm program is to find and honor those who have achieved notable progress in farming, home-making and citizenship, and who by their example, are encouraging interest in farming as a way of life. The Department of Agriculture is indeed proud and gratified with the high standard of attainment among the farm citizens of Alberta as revealed by the Master Farm Family Program.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE GOVERNMENT OF THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA

Hon. L. C. Halmrast, Minister O. S. Longman, Deputy Minister

HERE AND THERE

A break in the power service occurred shortly after 11 o'clock Friday morning and lasted for

IS YOUR SEED DEAD OR ALIVE? Don't Guess - Be Sure - Have it Tested SEE OUR AGENT NOW For RELIABLE - FREE Seed Testing and PIONEER GLYCOL ANTI-FREEZE - The Best By Test



HOW YOU WILL BENEFIT BY READING

the world's daily newspaper - THE CHRISTIAN SCIENCE MONITOR. You will find yourself one of the best-informed persons in your community on world affairs when you read this world-wide daily newspaper regularly. You will gain fresh, new viewpoints, a fuller, richer understanding of today's vital news - PLUS help from its exclusive features on homemaking, education, business, theater, music, radio, sports.

Subscribe now to this special "get-acquainted" offer - 1 month for \$5 (U.S. funds) The Christian Science Publishing Society, One, Norway Street, Boston 15, Mass., U. S. A. Enclosed is \$1, for which please send me The Christian Science Monitor for one month. Name: Street: City: Zone: State:

WE WILL REMEMBER THEM

In Flanders Fields

In Flanders Fields the poppies blow Between the crosses row on row. That mark our place, and in the sky The larks, still bravely singing, fly. Scarce heard amid the guns below.

We are the dead. Short days ago We lived, felt dawn, saw sunset glow. Loved and were loved, and now we lie In Flanders Fields.

Take up our quarrel with the foe, To you, from failing hands, we throw The torch, be yours to hold it high. If ye break faith with us who die We shall not sleep, though poppies grow, In Flanders Fields.

LT. COL. JOHN McRAE

